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**To:** JudTestimony; Rep. Abercrombie, Catherine  
**Subject:** Please Oppose - S.B. No. 60, H.B. No. 7218, H.B. No. 7219, H.B. No. 7223

Good evening, members of the Judiciary Committee, and Representative Abercrombie.

Please Oppose: S.B. No. 60 AN ACT CONCERNING THE PRESENTATION OF A CARRY PERMIT.

The police should not, without "reasonable suspicion of a crime", be allowed to "Stop and Frisk" or accost ANYONE. Especially someone who is lawfully exercising the right to protect themselves by carrying a firearm. This is profiling.

Please Oppose: H.B. No. 7218 AN ACT CONCERNING THE SAFE STORAGE OF FIREARMS IN THE HOME.

If you stored your locked car in your locked garage, and your sixteen year old took the keys from the locked nightstand, took the car, then killed someone while driving it, would you like to go to jail for the crime? You should according to the logic used to come up with this bill. The keys were safely locked in the nightstand. Was it "likely" that the teen would access them?  
Reasonably, no. This will do nothing but punish the law abiding. How about teaching children about firearm safety? Now THAT's common sense!

Please Oppose: H.B. No. 7219 AN ACT CONCERNING GHOST GUNS.

This bill is not meant to keep people safe. There is nothing about it that will. Just more draconian control under the guise of "gun safety".

Please Oppose: H.B. No. 7223 AN ACT CONCERNING THE STORAGE OF A PISTOL OR REVOLVER IN A MOTOR VEHICLE.

So I, as a gun owner, would be made a felon, if a criminal broke into my car, and robbed me? That is "Victim Blaming", and it is wrong. You would not do that to a rape victim, would you?  
From Wikipedia: Victim blaming  
"Victim blaming occurs when the victim of a crime or any wrongful act is held entirely or partially at fault for the harm that befell them."

I oppose the passing into law, all the above bills. They are just more legislation meant to oppress law abiding gun owners like myself.  
Please see that they will do nothing to make Connecticut safer.

Again, thank you for your time and attention.

Sincerely,

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P.S. I was warned making this entreaty is an exercise in futility, and that Democrats are “one track” minded in wanting to make all gun owners criminals, and to take away our God Given Second Amendment rights. I sincerely pray to God that this is not entirely the case.